years old under the Centrally Sponsored Schemes of National Pulses Development Project (NPDP) and Oilseeds Production Programme (OPP). Efforts are being made to produce the seed of Ramtil (nigar) & Alsi (linseed) through National Seeds Corporation (NSC) and State Farms Corporation of India (SFCI) for minikit distribution.

(b) and (c) Under minikit programme, the seed of new varieties of pulses and oilseeds which are less than 10 years old are popularized. At present there is no proposal to permit the use of more than 10 years old varieties of pulses & oilseeds as this if the only way to ensure the proper spread of newly released and notified varieties for better production and for benefit of the small, marginal & SC/ST farmers. However, under special circumstances of drought & floods, the Government of India has been permitting the use of popular varieties which are more than 10 years old in the drought/flood affected States in case of non-availability of new varieties.

**Shifting of East Cost Railway Zone**

*98. SHRI RAMACHANDRA KHUNTIA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Ministry of Railways has already shifted the East Coast Railway Zone from Bhubaneswar and almost all important officers and staff have already been shifted to different places; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI NITISH KUMAR): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

**Government Schools, KVs and NVs in Uttaranchal, Jharkhand and Chattisgarh**

*99. PROF. M. M. AGARWAL: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of Government schools, Kendriya Vidyalayas and Navodaya Vidyalayas functioning at present in Uttaranchal, Jharkhand and Chhattisgarh, district-wise/schoool wise;

(b) whether Government propose to open more schools in those States during the next three years;

(c) whether it is a fact that a number of posts of various categories in the above mentioned schools/vidyalayas are lying vacant for the last three years;

(d) if so, the details thereof, category-wise; and

(e) what steps are being taken by Government to fill up these posts?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI): (a) The details of Kendriya Vidyalayas and Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalayas sanctioned in the States of Uttaranchal, Jhakhand and Chhattisgarh is enclosed at Statement-I (*See* below). The desired details about the schools run by State Governments are not maintained in this Ministry.

(b) Yes, Sir. Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti may consider for opening of new Schools if suitable proposals as per the norms of the Samiti are received from the concerned State Government. KVS is not opening any schopols at present due to budgetary constraints. KVS is receiving increased financial assistance during 10th Plan.

(c) to (e) Some posts remain vacant due to promotions, resignations etc. in these vidyalayas. Category-wise statement of vacant posts as on 31.03.2001 in these vidyalayas is enclosed herewith Statement-II (*See* below). Recruitment for filling up of the vacant posts of teachers is a continuous process. Till the time regular incumbents join, the vacancies of teaching posts are filled up through contractual appointments to ensure that studies do not suffer.

**Statement-I**

Statement showing district wise details of the Kendriya Vidyalayas and Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalayas in the newly constituted states of Uttaranchal, Jharkhand and Chhattisgarh.

| District | No. of JNVs | No. of KVs |
|---|---|---|
| **UTTARANCHAL** | | |
| Almora | 01 | 02 |
| Champavat | 01 | 02 |
| Dehradun | — | 15 |
| Pithoragarh | — | 02 |
| Chamoli | 01 | 02 |
| Nainital | — | 03 |
| Hardwar | 01 | 03 |
| Pauri | — | 02 |
| Tehri Garhwal | 01 | 01 |

| District | No. of JNVs | No. of KVs |
|---|---|---|
| Uttarkashi | 01 | 01 |
| Rudraprayag | 01 | — |
| Udham Singh Nagar | 01 | — |
| TOTAL: | 08 | 33 |

**JHARKHAND**

| District | No. of JNVs | No. of KVs |
|---|---|---|
| Hazaribagh | 01 | 07 |
| Bokaro | 01 | 05 |
| Ranchi | 01 | 07 |
| Dumka | 01 | 01 |
| Singhbhum | 02 | 03 |
| Dhanbad | — | 03 |
| Gumla | 01 | — |
| Lohardaga | 01 | — |
| Latehar | 01 | — |
| Sahebganj | 01 | — |
| Koderma | 01 | — |
| Chattra | 01 | — |
| Deogarh | 01 | — |
| Garhwa | 01 | — |
| Giridih | 01 | — |
| Godda | 01 | — |
| TOTAL: | 16 | 26 |

**CHATTISGARH**

| District | No. of JNVs | No. of KVs |
|---|---|---|
| Surguja | 01 | 01 |
| Dantewada | 01 | 02 |
| Korea | — | 04 |
| Durg | 01 | 02 |
| Bilaspur | 01 | 01 |
| Rajnandgaon | 01 | 01 |
| Jagdalpur | — | 01 |
| Korba | 01 | 04 |
| Mahasumand | 01 | 01 |
| Raigarh | 01 | 01 |
| Raipur | 01 | 01 |
| TOTAL: | 09 | 19 |

## Statement II

*Statement showing the vacancies in various categories of posts in Kendriya Vidyalayas and Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalayas in the newly Constituted States of Uttaranchal, Jharkhand and Chhattisgarh*

1. *Kendriya Vidyalayas*

| Sl.No. | State | Principal | Vice-Principal | PGT | TGT | H.M. | PRT | Misc. Teacher | Non-Teaching | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | Uttaranchal | 02 | 02 | 13 | 01 | 08 | 00 | 08 | 18 | 52 |
| 2. | Jharkhand | 05 | 00 | 08 | 03 | 01 | 00 | 09 | 02 | 28 |
| 3. | Chhattisgarh | 00 | 00 | 12 | 06 | 05 | 03 | 08 | 19 | 53 |

2. *Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalayas*

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | Uttarachal | — | — | 05 | 09 | — | — | 08 | 16 | 38 |
| 2 | Jharkhand | — | — | 01 | 15 | — | — | 13 | 22 | 51 |
| 3. | Chhattisgarh | — | — | 07 | 10 | — | — | 05 | 45 | 67 |